

ORIG J.A.CUNNINGHAM JR.
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EXT : 5682
DATE : 9 DECEMBER 1962

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TO [] 25X1A

FROM : DIRECTOR

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1. WITH MISSION 3203 NOW UNDER WAY TO THE NRFA AREA, AND TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE GENERALLY LESS THAN WHOLLY SATISFACTORY RESULTS OF MISSION 3201 TO THE NORTH-
WEST, AS WELL AS THE INITIAL [] MESSAGE ON 9 NOV FORECASTING ONLY TWO IDEALIST
MISSIONS, WE ARE ANXIOUS THAT YOU AND AMBASSADOR BE ADVISED THAT KUDARK WILL BE
SEEKING 10 DECEMBER HIGHEST LEVEL APPROVAL FOR ANOTHER MISSION TO THE LADAKH AREA
IN BETTER WEATHER TO RECOVER THOSE TARGETS ON WHICH THERE WAS EARLIER INCOMPLETE
INFORMATION. MR. BUNDY HAS ASKED FOR A POLL OF SPECIAL GROUP MEMBERS 10 DECEMBER
ON THIS SUBJECT, AFTER WHICH HE WILL SEEK HIGHEST LEVEL AUTHORITY. FYI, THE COMOR
HAS, ON 9 DECEMBER, VALIDATED THE REQUIREMENT FOR THE PROPOSED RECOVERAGE AND
[] REP TO SPECIAL GROUP HAS ALREADY INFORMALLY CONCURRED IN SAME. 25X1A

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2. IN VIEW OF THE LANGUAGE OF THE ORIGINAL 9 NOV CABLE, AND BECAUSE OF THE
OPERATIONAL NECESSITY TO MAINTAIN ARRANGEMENTS NOW IN BEING WITH [] FOR THE
FIRST TWO FLIGHTS, IT IS SUGGESTED THAT YOU CONSULT WITH [] ON THIS SUBJECT
AND ADVISE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE ON [] WITH THE INSTANT PROPOSAL. 25X1C

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25X1A 3. IN LINE WITH OUR STATED INTEREST IN KEEPING OPEN THE QUESTION OF SUCCEEDING
MISSIONS BEYOND THE THREE NOW FORECAST FOR THE ^{IMMEDIATE} EFFORT, AS WELL AS THE
OPERATIONALLY RELATED MATTER OF ACQUISITION OF HQS 25X6
REMAINS INTERESTED IN AND AMB EVALUATION OF THE PRESENT PROSPECTS FOR THESE 25X1A
ITEMS. SUCH AN INFORMAL EVALUATION, PRIOR TO AMB RETURN WASHINGTON LATER THIS
WEEK WOULD BE MOST HELPFUL.

END OF MESSAGE

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DD/R (in substance by phone)

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